Financial Assistance Programs At-A-Glance

California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs) Provides temporary financial assistance and employment-focused services to families with minor children who have income and property below State maximum limits for their family size.

CalWORKs
Housing Program

Provides services and benefits to assist CalWORKs families who are homeless or at-risk of homelessness.

General Relief (GR)

County-funded temporary cash aid for indigent adults and certain sponsored legal residents who are ineligible for federal or State programs.

General Relief Housing
Subsidy and Case
Management Project

Provides rental subsidies and case management services to homeless GR individuals.

Refugee Cash
Assistance (RCA

Provides financial assistance to refugees, asylees, and trafficking and other serious crime victims (couples or single adults) who have been determined to be ineligible for CalWORKs or Supplemental Security Income/State Supplemental Payment (SSI/SSP) and who are within eight months from the date of entry into the United States of America, the date asylum was granted, or from the date of application for aid (for trafficking and crime victims).

Cash Assistance Payments for Immigrants (CAPI)

Provides cash to certain aged, blind, and disabled legal non-citizens ineligible to SSI/SSP due to their immigration status.

For specific program eligibility requirements visit our website at dpss.lacounty.gov or call us at (866) 613-3777.